

COMMITTEE ON NATURAL RESOURCES
113th Congress Disclosure Form
As required by and provided for in House Rule XI, clause 2(g) and
the Rules of the Committee on Natural Resources

Subcommittee on Public Lands and Environmental Regulation's oversight hearing: *"Invasive Species
Management on Federal Lands"*
May 16, 2013

For Witnesses Representing Organizations:

1. Name: Charles R. Dye
2. Name of Organization(s) You are Representing at the Hearing:
National Association of State Foresters
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For all Witnesses

Name/Organization: Randy C. Dye/ National Association of State Foresters

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a. Any training or educational certificates, diplomas or degrees or other educational experiences that are relevant to your qualifications to testify on or knowledge of the subject matter of the hearing.

Bachelor of Science degree in Forest Management from West Virginia University. See attached bio.

b. Any professional licenses, certifications, or affiliations held that are relevant to your qualifications to testify on or knowledge of the subject matter of the hearing.

Registered Forester for the State of West Virginia

c. Any employment, occupation, ownership in a firm or business, or work-related experiences that relate to your qualifications to testify on or knowledge of the subject matter of the hearing.

Twenty-six years experience in the forest products industry, plus 14 years as State Forester of West Virginia. See attached bio.

d. Any federal grants or contracts (including subgrants or subcontracts) from the Department of the Interior or Department of Agriculture that you have received in the current year and previous four years, including the source and the amount of each grant or contract.

N/A

e. A list of all lawsuits or petitions filed by you against the federal government in the current year and the previous four years, giving the name of the lawsuit or petition, the subject matter of the lawsuit or petition, and the federal statutes under which the lawsuits or petitions were filed.

N/A

f. A list of all federal lawsuits filed against you by the federal government in the current year and the previous four years, giving the name of the lawsuit, the subject matter of the lawsuit, and the federal statutes under which the lawsuits were filed.

N/A

g. Any other information you wish to convey that might aid the Members of the Committee to better understand the context of your testimony.

None

Witnesses Representing Organizations

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h. Any offices, elected positions, or representational capacity held in the organization(s) on whose behalf you are testifying.

President of National Association of State Foresters (NASF); Chair, Executive Committee of NASF; NASF Foundation

i. Any federal grants or contracts (including subgrants or subcontracts) from the Department of the Interior or Department of Agriculture that were received in the current year and previous four years by the organization(s) you represent at this hearing, including the source and amount of each grant or contract for each of the organization(s).

See attached.

j. A list of all lawsuits or petitions filed by the organization(s) you represent at the hearing against the federal government in the current year and the previous four years, giving the name of the lawsuit or petition, the subject matter of the lawsuit or petition, and the federal statutes under which the lawsuits or petitions were filed for each of the organization(s).

N/A

k. A list of all federal lawsuits filed against the organization(s) you represent at the hearing by the federal government in the current year and the previous four years, giving the name of the lawsuit, the subject matter of the lawsuit, and the federal statutes under which the lawsuits were filed.

N/A

l. For tax-exempt organizations and non-profit organizations, copies of the three most recent public IRS Form 990s (including Form 990-PF, Form 990-N, and Form 990-EZ) for each of the organization(s) you represent at the hearing (not including any contributor names and addresses or any information withheld from public inspection by the Secretary of the Treasury under 26 U.S.C. 6104)).

See attached form for the National Association of State Foresters

**Randy Dye, Director/State Forester
West Virginia Division of Forestry**

Randy Dye, director/state forester of the West Virginia Division of Forestry, is a native of Parkersburg, West Virginia. He graduated from West Virginia University in 1974 with a Bachelor of Science degree in forest management.

He started his forestry career in Lumberton, North Carolina, with Federal Paper Board. He joined Georgia-Pacific Corporation in 1978 and worked in every state throughout the southeastern United States in a number of management positions before returning to his home state of West Virginia. In 1999, former Governor Cecil Underwood appointed him as West Virginia's State Forester. He has continued in this position under former Governors Bob Wise, Joe Manchin III, and current Governor Earl Ray Tomblin.

During his 14 years as West Virginia's State Forester, he has been a member of the National Association of State Foresters (NASF); served as president of the Northeastern Area Association of State Foresters; was NASF's liaison to the National Association of State Departments of Agriculture; the National Plant Board; and the Association of Consulting Foresters. He has been vice-chair of NASF's Forest Science and Health Committee. He is presently President of the NASF and chairs the Executive Committee. He is currently a member of the NASF Foundation; a member of the WV Conservation Committee, and chair of Budget and Finance; a member of the Society of American Foresters; a member of the WV Forestry Association; chair of the Southeastern Forest Fire Compact; and past president of the WV Agriculture and Forestry Hall of Fame.